

NEAR-ZERO WEATHER CAUSES DEATH AND SUFFERING IN CITY

Cold Wave, Preceding Blizzard Due From West, Sends Victims to Hospital—"Four Above" is Reached by Mercury.

THE THERMOMETER.

Midnight	12 above zero
5 A. M.	10 above zero
8 A. M.	8 above zero
11 A. M.	6 above zero
2 P. M.	4 above zero
5 P. M.	2 above zero
8 P. M.	0 above zero
11 P. M.	0 above zero
12 (Noon)	12 above zero
1 P. M.	14 above zero
2 P. M.	17 above zero
3 P. M.	18 above zero
4 P. M.	18 above zero

Genuine cold weather grasped this city to-day, spreading death and intense suffering.

Patrick Allen, who for forty years has been a horse car driver in Manhattan, tumbled off his car as he was taking it to the barn at Avenue B and Fourteenth street, shortly after midnight, and lay in a heap. He was sent to Bellevue, dying. Doctors said the cold had benumbed him and apoplexy finished the work.

Allen had driven his car north and south on Avenue B for twenty years. He was sixty-eight years old and lived at No. 45 East Eighty-second street. He told his conductor as he was going to the barn that he never felt such a bitter wind as was then blowing.

A man who said he was Ginter Engel, aged twenty-eight, of No. 1066 Lexington avenue, was found by Policeman Smith in Union Square, stiff with cold and insensible. He had slipped on the ice and broken a hip and thigh. He is in a critical way at the New York Hospital.

Frozen to Death.

John J. Harrington, a newsdealer, of No. 1175 Vesey avenue, the Bronx, was found at Southern Boulevard and Hunt's Point road, frozen. He was sent to Lebanon Hospital, where he died early this morning.

Charles Jackson, sixteen years old, who was too far gone to give his address, was found by Policeman Cogan at Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue. He was sent to Bellevue to be revived.

It was cold last evening, in a way, registering 30 degrees at 4 o'clock. But the western blizzard kept on its eastward course, and the chill became more and more pronounced.

When the multitudes of the city stepped out of their more or less warm apartments this morning to go to work

AWAY BELOW ZERO IN UP-STATE CITIES

Day Coldest of the Winter With Temperature Averaging 20 Degrees Under.

UTICA, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Central and Northern New York experienced the coldest weather of the season last night. The mercury in this city at 6 o'clock this morning was 18 below zero, and though the day was bright and cloudless the mercury did not go as high as zero during the forenoon. Reports from the country districts show thermometer readings as low as 20 degrees below zero.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 30.—The thermometer reached 12 degrees below zero at the local Weather Bureau at 8 A. M., the lowest mark of the winter. The mercury was down to 20 below zero in this city this morning, and at Hagaman was 23 below.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Jan. 30.—The thermometer registered 12 below zero in this city to-day. Last night was the coldest of the winter. At Upper Chateaugay Lake it was 30 below zero, at Saranac Lake 32 below, and at Lake Placid 35 below.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Jan. 30.—The Schenectady Valley is to-day experiencing the coldest day of the winter. The mercury was down to 20 below zero in this city this morning, and at Hagaman was 23 below.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Jan. 30.—This was the coldest morning of the season in this section of the State. The mercury from various parts of Orange and Sullivan counties show that thermometers registered from 8 to 27 degrees below zero in the early hours. A high wind prevailed during the night.

ICE HARVESTERS WORK FOR 10 CENTS AN HOUR.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 30.—Reports from many parts of the State indicate that to-day was the coldest of many degrees of any day this winter. The thermometer registering 12 degrees below zero in some parts of Connecticut. Ice harvesting this year is being done at low rates on account of the large number of men and boys who are willing to cut and haul ice for almost nothing. The men in Windsor and the boys in Middletown are paid 10 cents an hour, and 12 to 15 cents in the morning, being the lowest rates paid in the State. The crop of ice has been light.

"A Waltz Dream" will be given in two Magazine section of next Sunday's World. Piano music, by arrangement with the publishers and owners of performing rights. Authorized, copyrighted music. Order next Sunday's World to-day.

CAUGHT AFTER CHASE AND HELD AS A SLASHER

Tony Silittine, Accused of a Murderous Attack, Refuses to Explain.

Tony Silittine, twenty years old, who said he lived in North Eighth street, near Havemeyer street, Brooklyn, was to-day held without bail by Magistrate Finn, in the Yorkville Court, to await the result of wounds he is charged with inflicting on Francisco Locurto, a saloonkeeper, of No. 445 East Thirtieth street.

Philip Call, nineteen years old, of No. 436 East Thirtieth street, who was arrested on the street near the scene of the cutting with a revolver in his hand, was discharged, as it was shown that he had only gone to the rescue of Locurto, who is a partner of his father.

The attack upon Locurto is believed to have been instigated by a "Black Hand" gang, as he has been threatened by letters several times recently and a bomb was exploded in his saloon only a short while ago.

Locurto was leaving his saloon last night with his son, when a man sprang from a hallway and slashed him across the right side of the face with a razor. Locurto called for help. Call dashed across the street, revolver in hand. He saw Silittine running away and fired at him twice, keeping up the chase until the fugitive ran into the arms of Patrolman Dobbin. The policeman, seeing Call's revolver, also played him under arrest. Call dashed in court to-day, Call easily convinced

Magistrate Finn that he was a friend of Locurto's and was only aiding the police to capture the slasher of his friend, and he was discharged. Silittine, from the time of his arrest, has stubbornly refused to say anything about himself or why he attacked Locurto. He was taken to Police Headquarters before going to court and the Italian detectives looked him over. None recognized him as a known "Black Hand" agent. All kinds of pressure was brought to bear upon him, but he refused to say anything about why he made the attack.

Magistrate Finn said a few words in condemnation of "Black Hand" methods, declaring that this was about the only civilized country where such things were swept by the heavy seas and it was the duty of all self-respecting Italians to use every effort to check the evil.

BATTERED BY SEA GALE.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Jan. 30.—The British steamer Parima, Capt. Carey, from New York Jan. 22 for West Indian ports, arrived here last night at 9 o'clock, two days late. On the way down the Parima encountered a severe storm, which lasted for thirty-six hours, and which was followed by a hurricane of twelve hours' duration. Her forward decks were swept by the heavy seas and one of her lifeboats was stove in.

COOKING

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Alcohol Utilities Company 156 W. 23rd St., New York

Bargain Friday Sale OF Boys' Reefers and Overcoats

Here are the smartest overcoats ever tailored for boys. The fabrics are black and Oxford meltons and gray and fancy chevrons. All have velvet collars, all are excellently lined—every one is a dressy coat. These garments were extreme values at original prices. Only the highest grades are in this sale. There are all sizes from 8 to 16 years old.

Here are reefers in blue, Oxford and fancy fabrics, some lined with red flannel. Sizes are 10 to 16 years.

All \$7 and \$8 Brill Reefers and Overcoats reduced to \$3.65

All \$10 and \$12.50 Reefers and Overcoats reduced to \$4.65

Children's Suits Reduced

Knicker, double breasted, sailor and Russian Suits—\$5 Suits, \$2.65; \$6 Suits, \$3.65; \$7 Suits, \$4.65; \$8 Suits, \$5.65; \$10 Suits, \$6.65.

Bargain Friday Special Men's Overcoats

Gray, brown, fancy, black and Oxford Overcoats—strictly all-wool fabrics, newest models—with self and velvet collars, patch pockets, etc. Tailored to hold shape, fit and style. Former prices \$10, \$12.50 and \$15; all sizes for \$7.50 youths and men; now...

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UNION SQUARE, 14th n. B. Way. 47 CORTLANDT, n. Greenwich.

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A Home of Four Rooms Complete—\$125.00

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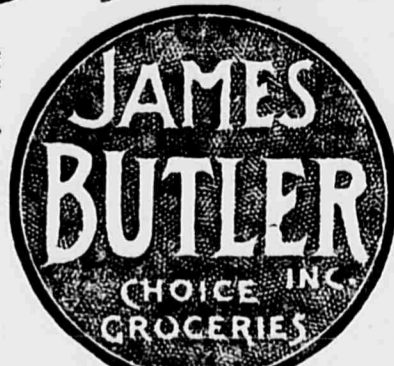
At All the James Butler Inc. Stores.

Although it is midwinter with us, Spring has opened in many sections of this big country, and there, Spring's earliest harbinger—the ever responsive hen—is again jubilant at being able to lay her daily egg.

The BUTLER buyers are in all the early hen-laying sections, and, as usual, we are first in the field with a train-load of these deliciously sweet and fresh new-laid eggs—straight from the farm—such as you may not have tasted for many months. You will welcome them as a sweet morsel—the first fruits of the new year.

We are selling this train-load almost at cost—10 NEW LAID EGGS FOR 25c—and every one will want a second helping. Better order early from the nearest JAMES BUTLER STORE. Although a second train-load is on the way we may be all sold out before Saturday night.

If we should, we can still supply you with the best fresh eggs in the city, apart from the new laid ones. They are carefully tested, each egg guaranteed fresh and good, and will give satisfaction for almost every purpose. These cost less, and this week sell at



Rice, 3 lbs., 17c
Fine clean rice, as nourishing as the finest and highest priced.

12 Fresh Eggs, 25c

Prunes, 3 lbs., 17c
Choice California fruit—full of sweet meat and thin of skin.

Creamery Butter.
Highest grade of best Western creamery tub butter—very fine, sweet and fragrant; by the lb. 33c

Belle Brook Butter.
In Pound Prints—Finest quality of creamery butter, put up in hygienic cartons, dust and odor-proof; each 35c

Table Butter.
Sweet, fresh and good; giving great satisfaction to a host of housekeepers; by the lb. 31c and 29c

Bacon
Swift's Boneless—Eagle Brand
Test of all the sugar cured hams—very fine, streaked with fat and lean; this week price reduced to 16c

LOWEST PRICES OF THE WINTER
FOR CANNED VEGETABLES

Shoulders
Swift's Smoked Little "Pinks" deliciously tender and nourishing; U. S. inspected and passed; continued at same low price, 9 1/2c

10 "S. & H." Stamps
FREE
with any one of the following:
Worcestershire Sauce—Peerless
imported; large bottle... 15c
Tomato Ketchup—Peerless
brand; large bottle... 15c
Pickles—Large quart size
bottle; Liberty brand... 25c
Salad Oil—Best made in
America; large bottle... 20c
Olive Oil—Mortco & Co.
imported; French brand... 23c
Celery Salt—Fresh ground,
full strength; bottle... 10c
Curry Powder—East India
condiment; bottle... 10c
Flavoring—Peerless vanilla
or lemon; 2-oz. bottle... 15c
Rice—Blue Ribbon; best
from Carolina; package... 10c
Macaroni—Il Trovatore,
the best; large package... 12c
Spaghetti—Il Trovatore,
the best; large package... 12c
Flour—prepared; Triumph
brand; large package... 15c
Hominy—Triumph brand;
large 5-lb. size package... 17c
Farina—Blue Ribbon; the
choicest quality; package... 10c
Table Salt—Blue Ribbon; fine
running; large package... 7c

The great annual JAMES BUTLER Midwinter Sale of CANNED VEGETABLES below cost has proved such a welcome event this year to so many scores of thousands of housekeepers, that we continue this sensational sale until the end of the week at these unprecedentedly low prices:

Tomatoes, No. 3 can, 7c
String Beans, No. 2 can, 6c
Sugar Corn, No. 2 can, 7c

All Strictly Standard in Size and Quality.

Other reductions equally as great follow:

Tomatoes, Homer or Mity Nice Brands, 3 cans, 25c; 9c
Tomatoes, East View Brand, extra choice 10c
Tomatoes, Essie Brand, fanciest quality; 2 cans, 25c; 13c
Sugar-Corn, Ormonde Castle Brand, Maine style 8c
Sugar-Corn, East View Brand, extra choice; 3 cans, 25c; 9c
Sugar-Corn, Essie Brand, genuine Maine—the best 10c
String Beans, Ormonde Castle; green and tender 8c
String Beans, Essie Brand; extra choice, 2 cans, 25c; 13c
Stringless Beans, Essie Brand—the choicest grown 15c
June Peas, First American Marrowfat; 3 cans, 25c; 9c
June Peas, East View Brand, sifted and extra choice 12c
June Peas, Essie Brand, extra sifted, choicest grown 15c
French Peas, Imported petits pois moyens; 2 cans, 25c; 13c

Every can guaranteed to comply fully with the rigid requirements of the National Pure Food Law.

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Direct importations from the Tea Bush to Your Tea Table.

Tea is the oldest and best of all beverages. Its virtues have been recognized for thousands of years, and to-day it holds first place in the estimation of the medical profession and the affection of womanhood.

Beyond all others it is "the cup which cheers but not inebriates," leaving no after effects; grateful to the sick, the feverish and the convalescent; refreshing to the strongest and hardest worker.

But your tea must be real tea—the purest and choicest of the several grades. Such are the BUTLER TEAS, and we commend you to these special offers of the choicest pickings from our new importations, which cannot be equalled in purity, flavor and high quality even at double our prices:

60 Stamps Free with 1-lb. carton UNXLD Teas... 50c
60 Stamps Free with 1-lb. carton Ceylon Golden Tips 50c
30 Stamps Free with 1 lb. Choicest No. 1 Teas... 35c
15 Stamps Free with 1 lb. Choicest No. 2 Teas... 25c

"S. & H." Green Stamps Free

With All Purchases of 10 Cents or More, except C. O. D. Groceries. Single Stamps with All Purchases of Groceries. Double Stamps with All Purchases of Liquors.

Double Stamps Free

For Three Days with All Liquor Purchases. At 90 James Butler Licensed Stores.

Hunter Whiskey, J. P. bottling, bottle... 79c
Kingussie Scotch, Genuine imported, bottle... 79c
Wilson Whiskey, J. B. bottling, bottle... 85c

The Big Dollar's Worth
Trysome Whiskey... \$1
California Sherry... \$1
California Port... \$1
3 Full Size Bottles... \$1

Power's Irish Whiskey
Sir John Power's world-famous
Three Swallow bottle... \$1

French Cognac
Jean Francois et Cie French
Brandy; bottle... \$1.15

Monogram Whiskey
The old reliable blend of the best
American whiskeys; makes
friends everywhere; bottle... 75c
Gallon \$3.00 Half gal... \$1.50

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Greatest value ever offered by
the bottle... 50c
Gallon \$2.00 Half gal... \$1.10

Guinness's Stout Doz. bots., Pint size... \$1.35

Bass Ale The Old October Brew; dozen bottles, pint size... \$1.50

Choicest Coffees

The James Butler Coffees are as favorably known for their superior and satisfying "cup quality" as for their exceptionally low prices. One housekeeper to 5 another how good they are, and our sales are constantly increasing. We are to-day supplying the largest family of coffee drinkers in the world with their favorite beverage, and pride ourselves on these particularly special values because of their great and growing popularity:

20 Stamps Free with 1 lb. Old Plantation Coffee... 30c
10 Stamps Free with 1 lb. Choicest Blended Coffee... 25c
10 Stamps Free with 1 lb. Choicest Maracabo Coffee... 20c
10 Stamps Free with 1 lb. Choicest Santos Coffee... 1c

100 STAMPS FREE

with the following combination purchase:

1 lb. Butler's Very Best Teas, worth \$1, for 50c
1 lb. Old Plantation Coffee, best imported, for 30c

60 STAMPS FREE

with the following combination purchase:

1 lb. Old Plantation Coffee, best imported, for 30c
3/4 lb. Butler's Very Best Teas, worth 50c, for 25c

20 Stamps Free with 3 lb. box Peerless Gloss Starch... 1c
20 Stamps Free with 4 oz. bot. Flavoring, Lemon or Vanilla... 25c
20 Stamps Free with jar East View Best Extract... 25c
20 Stamps Free with 1 lb. can Blue Ribbon Baking Powder... 25c
20 Stamps Free with 3 lb. crock of Liberty Preserves... 25c
20 Stamps Free with large bot. imported French Olive Oil... 65c

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Superlative XXXX Quality—The Best Milled.

Every one of the JAMES BUTLER patrons—and they are legion—will tell you that no other flour suits them so well for bread, biscuit cake or pastry. No other high-grade flour can be bought at so low a price viz:—

Barrel—\$5.95—24 1/2 lb. Bag—75c

7 lb. bag, 23c; 3 1/2 lb. Bag, 12c.

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The famous Green Mountains from Maine; cook dry and mealy. 7-Pound Bask... 15c

Liberty Pickles
All kinds of crisp, fresh bottled appetizers; Pearl Onions, Gherkins, Chow Chow and Mixed; bottle... 10c

Horse Radish
Liberty Brand; fresh grated and full strength; bottle 10c

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Fresh from the ovens of the NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Social Teas... Pkg.
Saltines... 9c
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Handi-pans, the latest dainty, a rich lemon-flavored biscuit, regular price 13c... 10c

Golden Crisps... 10c
Fig Newtons... 12c
Graham Crackers... 12c

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Sunday World Wants Work Monday Wonders